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DATABASE MANAGEMENT

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed March 19, 2003, Applicants submit the following:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please substitute the amended claims below for the pending claims with the same claim numbers.

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1. (Currently Amended) A method of storing and retrieving one or more items on a database over a plurality of communications networks, including:
- a. entering, at a first communications terminal, one or more data items;
  - b. transmitting said data items, together with a first user identity code, to a database server over a first communications network;
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